

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 NSAE-00 NSCE-00  
SSO-00 USIE-00 INRE-00 PM-04 H-01 INR-07 L-03  
NSC-05 PA-01 PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15 OC-06 CCO-00  
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-----310935Z 086441 /15  
O 310930Z MAR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3328

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PFOR ET US  
SUBJECT: PRESS GUIDANCE ON KAGNEW STATION CLOSURE

REF STATE 70527

1. IF SUBJECT REFTEL DOES APPEAR IN PRESS OR DURING  
BRIEFING, I WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING ASAP WHAT HAS BEEN  
SAID SO THAT I MIGHT INFORM MOFA.

2. DEPT MAY WISH CORRECT PROPOSED REPLY TO LAST QUESTION  
REFTEL. FIVE AMERICANS WERE KIDNAPPED, BUT ONLY THREE  
WERE FROM CISCO. OTHER TWO WERE U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL.  
THE TWO KILLED BY MINE WERE BOTH CISCO.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** PRESS COMMENTS, KIDNAPPING, MILITARY BASE CLOSINGS  
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**Copy:** SINGLE  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
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**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
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